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VIA FAX & MAIL (781) 326-1079

Dave Reilly
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200 West Street
P.O. Box 149
Dedham, MA 02027

Re: United States v. James T. Richards
Crim No. 03-10367-MEL

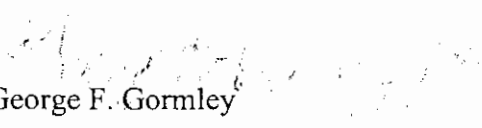
Dear Mr. Reilly:

Please consider this letter a request that Dr. George L. Hardman be allowed to meet with James T. Richards **Friday, August 19, 2005**, in the morning. The visit is to allow Dr. Hardman the opportunity to continue to evaluate Mr. Richards' mental condition at the time of the occurrence events alleged in the indictment. Dr. Hardman's visit is known to and approved by the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts. You have been previously provided with the doctor's date of birth and identifying number.

Unfortunately, I am unable to be present for this continuation of Dr. Hardman's evaluation.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,


George F. Gormley

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cc: George Toscas, Esq., AUSA
Dr. George L. Hardman
James T. Richards
George Howarth, Deputy Clerk